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PLAYDOWNS OF LADIES 'BRIER' CONTESTED BY THREE TOWNS

CROSSFIELD — Keenly con-tested were the playdowns of the ladies' "Brier" which was held in Crossfield on Feb. 17 under the Crossfield on Peb. 17 under the convenorship of Gladys Felecher. The district comprised Carstairs, Airdrie and Crossfield. The first game was between Carstairs and Crossfield at 8:30 Saturday morning. The girls really put on an exhibition of fine curing and it took the last rock to decide the game of the competition with Airdrie, resulting in a win for Fletcher rink of Airdrie. By this time the ice keen competition with Airdrie, resulting in a win for Fletcher rink of Airdrie. By this time the ice was becoming a little swingly due to prevailing Chinook conditions and the competition with Airdrie, resulting in a win for Fletcher rink of Airdrie. By this time the ice was becoming a little swingly due to prevailing Chinook conditions and the competition of the control of the con nvenorship of Gladys Fletcher

Product Dealer Will be Host At "Family Day" Party

CROSSFIELD — Entertainment for the whole family has been included in the plans for the "Family Day" movies Tuesday.

ly Day" movies Tuesday.
Heat to the town and district families will be Jerry Steele, the Sturdle Oil dealer. The films will be shown in the Community Hall, beginning at 8:00 p.m.
Feature films will cover sports subjects as well as travelogue films being included. Special on the program will be Mickey Mouse and Glant Danny Boy films.

door prizes no one will want to miss out on.

ond; and M. Clayton, lead, and their's was a wonderful game and they will represent the district at Southern Alberta playdown in Calgary on March 17.

The Crossfield High School rink consisting of skip Lawrence Lilley supported by Donnie Bors and the Committee of the Committe

Two Crossfield **Delegates Attend** City Presbyterial

CROSSFIELD — Marge Banta and Mrs. (Rev.) Anderson attended the Calgary Presbyterial on Feb. 13. The usual group reports were read and their endeavors were to be commended. The Cross-field Girl Roplevers were placed on the Honor Roll. At the memorial serivee in the evening, two Cross-field ladies' names were remem-bered—Mrs. Hoover, organist for many years in Crossfield United Church and Mrs. Isabel Thompson, who worked for every good cause throughout her life. Mrs. Ferngren mother of our W.A.'s ex-president, Mrs. O'Nell, was also remembered lovingly for all the quiet and good than fellowship with her church and social life. were to be commended. The Cross-

Tuxis Parliament Delegates Report

Delegates Report

CROSSPIELD — On Friday 16
the Tunis and C.G.I.T. arranged
to have discussion groups and
about 30 people were present to
enjoy the program.

Charlie Rowatt, Willard Smith
and Eugene Harder who had been
privileged to attend Tuxia Parliament, spoke of the knowledge attained as representatives. Joyce
on "What the Young People Expect from the Church." Mrs.
Charney remarked in general that
more responsibility should be expected from young people, that is,
when youth has promised to ac-

AIR MARSHAL W. A. Curtis has told Eisenhower of Canada's plans in the air. Royal Canadian Air. Force will build up mighty armada to protect Canada from any air-borne enemy.

cept a charge it should be ex-ecuted in the spirit that it was promised, and not carelessly for-gotten. The Church board expressgotten. The Church board expresses eli ts views through voices of Rev. Anderson, Frank Laut and Jack Spurr. They praised and encouraged the youth of our town and spoke of the influence of Christon to the Charles of t

C.G.I.T. Groups Take Part in Services

CROSSFIELD — About 500
CG.LT. members attended mass
affiliation with the Women's Missionary Society of the United
Church of Canada. At the 26th
annual meeting of the Calgary
Presbyterial of the WM.S. held
in Central United Church, Tues-

in Central United Church, Tuesday,

We had 476 affiliated members
in 1850. At 93 meetings these girls
used the study book "Growing
with the Years." There was too, a
new awakening to the "why" and
wherefore" of missions.

Many activities were reported
some many gifts to missions at
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worthy causes were given.

The Senior and Intermediate
C.G.I.T. and leaders from Crosssield attended and partook in the
beautiful reaffiliation service,
whereafter Miss Louise Scott,
missionary nurse from India,
spoke to the audience which
packed the church. South Calgary
C.G.I.T. was a special choir for
the evening.

At the conclusion an Arthur
Rank film, "Which Do Ye Chose?"

was shown.

We are grateful to all those who kindly offered their cars to transport us to the service.

Choir Says Goodbye To Mrs. Ted Tannas

ROCKYFORD — The United Church Choir held a tea in honor of Mrs. Ted Tannas at the home of Mrs. J. Tompte on Sunday, Feb. 18. Mr. and Mrs. T. Tannas have recently moved to High

CROSSFIELD **NEWS NOTES**

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Mrs. Ruth Sharp is sure cussing the scarlet fever bug. The day she thought to be out of quarantine their little boy came down with the their little boy came down with the case and that he is soon better. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Boke are rejoicing in the birth of a son in a Calgary hospital on Fri. Feb. 18.

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Mrs. Rhodes spent a week at Gleichen lately visiting relations. The snow was too deep to make the trip home as planned. The snow was too deep to make the trip home as Daniel and the trip home as Laut are expected home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Goetler entertained the Inverlea' 500 Club. Top honors went to Mrs. Low and Harry Fenwick.

Willard Smith, Marge and Francis Banta and Kenny Kotow were successful in bringing home as The rink skipped and the state of the

River. The choir presented Mrs. Tannas with a hymn book. Four-teen guests were present.

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EDITORIAL PAGE

Stalin Objects

In any plan to re-arm Western Europe against the threat of Communist invasion. it is necessary that Western Germany be included. To re-arm all of Europe without taking in that part of Germany now occupied by the Western powers, would be tantamount to leaving the front door wide open to the aggre

Strangely enough, the Germans themselves kick against preparing their own defense. Any overtures now being made by France and the Atlantic pact countries to our former enemy are treated with veiled threats of immediate aggressive action by

General Eisenhower feels that if we General Eisenhower feets that it we DON'T re-arm Germany, it would be very easy for the Russians to gobble up that defenseless area in any major conflict, and as a good soldier he's right in wanting Western Germany on our side right from the time the first shot is fired. On the other hand, Stalin's threats of aggressive action if any steps are skept to re-arm nuts the Commander-in-Chief

careats of aggressive action if any steps are taken to re-arm puts the Commander-in-Chief on the horns of a dilemma. Can we woo Germany into a whole-hearted defense of Western Europe — and make her strong—before Stalin acts? Let's hope so.

To Replace Missing Stone

The Red Deer, Alberta firm that offered to replace the stolen Stone of Scone, free of charge, is not the only firm that has received royal refusal. His Majesty the King has royal refusal. His Majesty the King has "graciously declined an offer of the Indiana Limestone Company" of Bedford, Indiana. President of the Company, William G. Rilewired an offer to the King and received a letter from the British Embassy in Washington. The King was represented in the letter as "greatly appreciating" the offer but "regretting it is not possible for him to avail himself of your kindness".

Who krows? The next British monarch.

Who knows? The next British monarch may yet be crowned Emperor without this worthless piece of Scotch rock to sit upon.

Longer Work Week

We can have our cake and eat it too, if business and industry goes on a 48 hour week. The automobile industry, for instance, on a 40 hour week hasn't been able to keep ahead of the demand for new passenger cars and trucks. Now, we're going to need new guns, tanks and planes in addition to the cars and trucks we've been buying. If every worker in the automobile and allied industries were to work 48 hours a week instead of only were to work 48 hours a week instead of only 40 we could have our pleasure cars and farm trucks and have our defence too! Within a year or two, if there is no shooting war, we could possibly reduce our manufacture of war machines to a pace sufficient to keep step with new technological advances, and if by that time more immigrant workers are brought in, be able to return to a 40 hour week with no loss in production for civilian consumption.

We'll admit a 48 hour week sounds

civilian consumption.

We'll admit a 48 hour week sounds ridiculously easy to farmers used to working 12 hours a day, six days a week and 8 hours doing chores on Sunday, but to Government employees who have recently been obliged to observe a 3746 hour week in place of 33, this will sound like a piece of barbaric horror.

Immigration

The Canadian Government is speeding up its immigration program, by advancing passage to anyone with thirty Canadian dollars in his pocket. Any immigrant with that much money and a head on his shoulders can make a small fortune, according to European standards, in no time at all here in Canada.

Further than that, every new worker will contribute to the wealth and defence of Canada. The Government is 100% correct in encouraging immigration to the limit.

More About Calendar Reform

By T. W. PUE

Somehow or other, when our column on calendar reform was published a few weeks ago, a copy of the LAC STE. ANNE Chronicle got into the hands of A. J. Hills, of Ottawa. Chairman of the World Calendar Association, International, Mr. Hills wrote at length pulling us up on a point or two. Here are so of his observations:

It seems that it would be giving too much credit Pope Gregory XIII to say that the calendar after 1582 'was a big improvement over the previous one'.
As a matter of fact no change in the calendar structure was made at that time. The adjustment and the change made by Gregory were both related only to the leapyear rule. The defective leapyear rule of Julius Caesar was corrected in recognition of the fact that the length of the year is not 365% days, but 242216. The difference between 25 and 242216 in centuries had accumulated an error of 10 days. By time England and her colonies adopted the so-365.242216. The differen called Gregorian calendar the error had grown to 11 days and these were cut out between September 2nd

But apart from dropping 10, or 11 days out of the calendar, and providing that century years of which the first two digits are not

divisible by 4 should be ordinary years, no change in the calend It is too bad that Pope Gregory

did not make some changes in the calendar structure, but he left the months just as Julius Caesar had imperfectly assembled them 45 years before the birth of Christ. The old story that Augustus changed the months to have the

T. W. Pue

T. W. Pue edia Britannica has of recent year been dropped.

While what was then the sixth month was named for Augustus by resolution of the Senate, and plebs, Augustus is cleared of the crime of mussing up the calendar by giving August 31 days.

calendar by giving August 31 days.
The writings of Censoriuus and Macrobius show pretty clearly that Julius Caesar was responsible for the months just as we have them today. It is proper however to state that the irregularity of the structure of the present Gregorian calandar comes directive for many present Gregorian calandar comes directive from superstition so atrougly held by Romanus that add numbers were lucky and even numbers un-

When Numa Pompilius about 713 B.C. added af-ter December the two months January and February to the 10 months of the early Roman calendar, every to the 10 months of the early Roman calendar, every month but one in his 12 months calendar of 355 days had an odd number of days, either 31 or 29, but on make an odd number of days, either 31 or 29, but on make an odd number of days in the year so that the year would be lucky as well as 11 of the 12 months) Februray was given 28 days. Four months had 31 days, seven had 29, and one, February, had 28.

When Caesar, with the assistance of Sosigenes, put his 365 day calendar in force, his action according to the version of Censorinus as given in Dr. William nith's Smaller Dictionary of Greek and Roman An-

"Accordingly, to the 355 days of the previously existing year he added ten days, which he so distriexisting year he added ten days, which he so distri-buted between the seven months having 29 days that January, Sextlies (August) and December received two each, the others but one; and these additional days he placed at the end of the several months, no doubt with the win not to remove the various feati-vals from those positions in the several months which they had so long occupied."

Much the same reason is given for not disturb-

ing February.

It is evident that there was nothing scientific about the arrangement of months as this came down to us. It was no doubt 'good enough for the times'. That too is probably what Sosigenes thought of the leapyear rule which on his advice Caesar adopted, as it was known 100 years earlier that the length of the year was not quite 365 ½ days. Probably coming from Alexandria, his view was 'good enough for these Romans'. After all the leapyear rule was only out 10 days in 16 centuries.

10 days in 16 centuries.

What I meant to convey about New Year's is that the 1st of January always coming on a Sunday, that the 1st of January always coming on a Sunday, the 2nd. However Mr. Hills proposal is that much of the cerrannial attaching now to New Year's EVE would with The World Calendar in effect focus on the coming of WORLDSDAX, also that to this day would be transferred some New Year's Day functions.

Note and Comment

believe that Western Canada is in a Russian invasion. Just think what any danger of a Russian invasion. Just think will would happen to heavy Soviet tanks if they exhit some of the country roads. It may be that the deplorable roads are regarded as a defence measure by the powers-that-be in Ottawa.

It isn't the buildings or the streets or the in ies that make a town. It is the people



Joseph Stalin is the disgruntled interloper who objects to any attempt by the Western Powers to re-arm Germany and equip her to defend herself against any future armed aggression

Voice of the People

Religious War

Dear Sir-Peace may be the basis of the Christian doctrine, but any study of religious teaching shows that its ultimate end is preparation for total war.

The most brutal wars of his-tory have been wars of religion. The vicious character of the Hebrew race is recorded many times in their wars.

Other races before and after Christ fought bloody and savage either in defence of, or to note, their particular religion

After Christianity became the accepted religion of the Romans, the persecution of anyone who stood in the way of the Catholic church became a standing rule. its savagery.

In AD 1588 an invasion of Eng-ind was attempted by Spain. The attack was instigated and paid for by the Catholic Pope. The ob-jective was to smash the Reform-

At the Council of Trent the At the Council of Trent the Bible as we know it was composed through selecting various manuscripts from early writers. They selected, and rejected, many ancient epistles from various sources in making up the Bible.

If you want to know we seemed to be the council of the counc

If you want to know my sources,
I will give them to you.
V. T. J. TWIGG.

Hughenden.

Barbers Like to Live

Dear Sir-In answer to Frank Krenn (laughing hyena) I think you are a very greedy and cheap man, After all, all people work just like you to make an honest

have you know that my hus-I'll nave you know that my hus-band is a barber, and his expenses are quite high. He not only has to replace a burned out light bulb as you mention, but has to pay for his rent, water, electricity, hair oil, shampoos, powder, soaps, etc., every month.

Belive me, at the end of the month he hasn't much left over.

So please, Frank Krenn, don't criticize other people, and do get a haircut and shave once in a while

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Co-operatives

Dear Sir—I was interested in your editorial on whether the churches should support co-opera-

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of every kind of human being.

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I am under the impression of the control of the Sangudo. A FRORET.

More Toleration

More Toleration
Dear Siz.—I liked your editorial
on 'I Remember Mother.' But
eight years ago you could not
have said your grandfather had
come from Germany or your
mother was a little German giffrom the U.S.A. without seriously
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ground.

We need more toleration in this country, and I hope your paper will pledge itself to true fair-play and democratic behavior on the part of your readers.

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Hospital Conditions

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Alberta Employment Prospects Bright For 1951, Says N.E.S.

STENOGRAPHERS

At present there are many calls

for male and female stenograph-

ers. In fact, "this situation may almost be termed desperate," Mr.

almost be termed desperate," Mr. Cameron stated. During the past six months there has been a steady demand for stenographers, averaging about 50 calls, and offering good wages. The demand is expected to increase during the next few months.

Little difficulty is anticipated in placing university graduates

Little difficulty is anticipated in placing university graduates this year. Calls already on hand for engineering and commerce graduates will take care of practically all those graduating this spring. A branch office of the N.E.S. at the University of Alberta, under the supervision of J. R. Washburn, operates full time

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Albertas employment outlook, dimmed by mounting un-employment figures of the winter months, is bright for the rest of the year, according to National Employment Service officials in Edmonton. ture in northern Alberta is good," Mr. Cameron said, "and indications are that the peak in unemployment here has been reached." This is earlier than usual for the peak figure, which is generally reached early in March.

Unemployed in northern and central Alberta registered with Onempioyea in noticeria accentral Alberta registered with the Edmonton office of the national employment service at the week-end numbered 6,940, an increase of only 17 from the previous week's total, according to a report issued Monday by P I. Cameron, public relations officer for the unemployment insurance Of these applicants, 5,198 are men and 1,742 women. Unfilled vacancies incerased by 219 to 1,157, while the number of applicants placed in jobs also increased by 118, to 505. Total of claimants for unemployment insurance benefits now registered is 5,894.

"The general employment pic-

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to assist graduates in finding permanent employment, and undergraduates in finding suitable summer jobs which will give them practical experience.

It has been announced by Hon. Milton F. Gregg, federal minister of labor, that a smaller university graduating class across the country this year, coupled with an increasing demand for technical personnel in expanding defence projects is likely to create a strong demand for graduates.

REQUIREMENTS

The minister said that many

The minister said that many employers, realizing this possibility have already submitted their requirements to the employment service, much earlier than last year. He advised those students who have not already contacted the employment offices to so as soon as possible.

Despite the expected heavy demand, Mr. Gregg pointed out that there still will be the problems involved in bringing the prospective employers and employees together, as in some cases they are widely separated in different parts of the country. As a result, the full attention of the officials of the executive and professional dependent of the N.E.S. and the each operation of the officials as necessary as in previous years.

GRADUATES

report stated, considerable difficulty was expected in placing culty was expected in placing the abnormally large graduating class of 17,000 but the vast majority had been absorbed by August. This years' class has been estimated at about 13,000, and some of these may be expected to continue post-graduate studies.

Of the total of university students of the continue post-graduate this pring, about 25 months of the prince of the continue post-graduate pring, about 25 months of the continue business administration, 500 in agriculture, 1,140 in education, 900 in medicine, and 500 in law. The remainder are in various specialist courses Estimates of the totals of students expected to graduate in the next four years, based on present registrations, show a decrease to 10,000 in 1954.

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A milk company is supplying 96 cans of milk for the babies, and will continue to do so until they are a year

Golden Glove Tournament Slated For Feb. 22-23

The Optimist Golden Glove Tournament, sponsored by the Edmonton Optimist Club, "Friend of the Boy," will be held in the Sales Pavillon, Exhibition Grounds, Thursday and Friday nights, Feb. 22 and 23, starting at 8:00 p.m. Golden Gloves Champions are amateurs, and although all do not have the property of the property

go on from boxing amateurship to become professional, those to become professional, those that do, smally achieve a fair defined to, smally achieve a fair defined to the control of the c

has seen many fine boxers from districts about Alberta, such as Barrhead, Grande Prairie, Lacombe, Red Deer and Calgary.
This year indications are that there will be even more boys, all boxing in the hope of winning the Golden Gloves. Any boxer with an amateur card is eligible and registration form immediately.
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Odessa, Russia, and moved to South Dakota, U.S.A. in 1889. He also lived at Harvey, N.D. He was a member of Bridgeland Seventh-day Adventist Church in Calgary.

Pallbearers were Mr. A. A. Roth, Gottlieb Rembolt, Ed Kinndopp, Robert Resway, John Grobo and A. L. Dick.

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celebrated Monday at 10 a.m. in

St. Rita's Church at Rockyford.

Burial was in the cemetery there

Funeral home.

A native of Rollers, Belgium,

Mrs. Commaert came to Canada in

1914 and lived at Strathmore be
fore moving to Rockford. She

fore moving to Rockford. She was a member of St. Rita's Church and of the Catholic Women's

League.
Surviving are her husband; a son, Gerald of Rockyford; three daughters, Mrs. P. V. Ross of Sasaktoon, Sask; Mrs. M. Plotnickoff, Rockyford, and Margaret in Baltimore, Md.; seven grand-children; two brothers, Edward Ameyis, Chicago; and Michael in Belgium; and a sister, Mrs. Paryre Reynaert in Belgium.

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positions. He evidently forgets that I do not know everyone and twice at dances he has practically left me after the first dance and let me fend for myself until time to go home. He deesn't realize that he is being rude me and that he is supposed to be looking after me. What can I say? I hate to hurt his feelings by telling the chart his feelings by telling the control of the co

him that he has been discourteous and still, I feel that he should be told. If you print the answer per-haps he will see it in the paper.

He is certainly very thoughtless.

to put it mildly. Even though you

knew the people of the town as well as he did, a man, who has

been properly reared knows that

been properly reared knows that he should look out for his companion, whether she be his wife or date, at a dance. He should introduce her to possible partners and dance with her himself if she dances with anyone else too long. It is inexcusably selfish of your husband to think only of himself and forget the simple rules of politeness in such a way.

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CROSSFIELD — The regular meeting of the Crossfield Home meeting of the Crossfield Home and School was held on Thurs. Peb. 16 in the school and was a series of the school had received attention an interesting report was given by Mrs. Charmyon the school had been divided into four centre of the school had been divided into four different groups: No. 1, grades 1, 2 and 3; No. 2, grades 4, 5 and 6; No. 3, grades 7, 8 and 9 and No. 4, and 10 an Crawdis and the high-lights of in-formation developed was covered by Mrs. Charney. It appeared that the study of Arithmetic and Read-ing received the greatest interest. The next study group was set for Feb. 21 for Miss Staggs room of grade 4, 5 and 8. A sumary of this meeting will be heard at the next H. and S. meeting. Mrs. Casey and Mrs. Stillings were asked to con-vene the bridge tournament which has become an annual event.

Council Meetings

The regular monthly meeting of the Village Council will be held in the

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A series of pictures were shown hich were very educational. lese were entitled: "What's "Fiber Flax," and "Our Town in A series of pictures were shown which were very educational. These were entitled: "What's Under the Label?", Canadian Vacation series, "Birds of Canada,"

the World."

A delicious lunch was served by the lunch committee before the meeting dispersed.



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